



Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: The examiner contacted Applicant's representative to get authorization to cancel claims 7-9 and 16-18, the rejections of which were affirmed by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on 25 March 2010. The examiner stated claims 1-6 and 12-12 are in condition for allowance. The examiner stated that if no authorization was provided by close of business on 2 July 2010, this action would be mailed. Applicant's representative did not reply to the inquiry.